

## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

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## **UPDATED:** Demolition Stage on 63<sup>rd</sup> Street to Dan Ryan Expressway Lanes

**CHICAGO** – The Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT) announced that lane closures along the Dan Ryan Expressway will be required for the demolition of beams on the 63<sup>rd</sup> Street Bridge beginning, weather permitting, the evening of Monday April 20.

In order to complete the work, lane closures may occur:

- Monday through Thursday overnight from 8 p.m. to 5 a.m.
- Friday overnight from 8 p.m. to 6 a.m.
- Saturday overnight from 9 p.m. to 9 a.m.

On the local northbound and southbound lanes, there will also be 15 minute full local lane closures from 1 a.m. to 5 a.m. on Monday through Friday, and 1 a.m. to 7 a.m. on Sunday.

On the express northbound and southbound lanes, there will be full express lane closures from 12 a.m. to 5 a.m. on Monday through Friday, 12 a.m. to 6 a.m. on Friday, and 12 a.m. to 7 a.m. on Saturday.

This demolition stage is anticipated to be complete in early May 2015.

Motorists can expect delays and should allow extra time for trips through this area. Drivers are urged to pay close attention to flaggers and signs in the work zones, obey the posted speed limits and be on the alert for workers and equipment.

Find details on other construction projects in IDOT's District 1 at <a href="http://goo.gl/upgvZu">http://goo.gl/upgvZu</a>. Updates on the impacts to traffic are available at <a href="http://goo.gl/upgvZu">www.travelmidwest.com</a>.